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USDEL SECRETARY FOR AMBASSADOR MCHENRY

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PORT, WA, OTRA (MCHENRY, DONALD)
SUBJECT: NAMIBIA: MCHENRY VISIT TO WINDHOEK

REF: SECTO 03066

1. PROGRAM YOU OUTLINE REFTEL FOR YOUR VISIT WILL WORK OUT FINE.
2. BELIEVE YOU CAN COMPLETE YOUR MEETINGS IN WINDHOEK BY WEDNESDAY EVENING AND PROCEED TO CAPE TOWN ON THE 0945 FLIGHT THURSDAY MORNING, ARRIVING HERE AT 1135. IF YOU NEED MORE TIME IN WINDHOEK ON THURSDAY, ALTERNATIVE WILL BE TO DEPART WINDHOEK AT 1600 FOR CONNECTION IN JOHANNESBURG WITH FLIGHT TO CAPE TOWN, ARRIVING HERE AT 2130. JAY TAYLOR WILL HAVE SCHEDULE OF YOUR WINDHOEK APPOINTMENTS WHEN HE MEETS YOU ON YOUR ARRIVAL IN JOHANNESBURG ON TUESDAY.
3. THERE IS A CAPE TOWN PRESS CLUB AND IT WOULD PROVIDE THE APPROPRIATE FORUM FOR YOUR MEETING WITH PRESS. USUAL PRACTICE IS LUNCHEON MEETING, BUT CLUB CAN ARRANGE PRESS CONFERENCE AT ANOTHER TIME OF DAY.

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4. DEPENDING ON WHEN YOU ARRIVE HERE FROM WINDHOEK, MEETING WITH BOTHA AND/OR FOURIE COULD BE EITHER THURSDAY AFTERNOON OR FRIDAY MORNING.
5. AGREE IT WOULD BE USEFUL FOR YOU TO MEET WITH POTENTIAL ALLIES LIKE EGLIN AND BASSON AS YOU SUGGEST.

6. RE YOUR DEPARTURE FROM SOUTH AFRICA FOR NEW YORK ON FRIDAY,
BEST BET IS TO LEAVE CAPE TOWN AT 1620 ON SA 328 WHICH ARRIVES
JOHANNESBURG AT 1855 FOR CONNECTION WITH SA 207 DEPARTING
JOHANNESBURG AT 2030 FOR NEW YORK, ARRIVING THERE AT 0615
SATURDAY MORNING. WE WILL MAKE TENTATIVE PRESERVATIONS FOR YOU
ON THIS BASIS.
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